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Cost, and are recommending it every day. From personal experience we ent advocate of forest preservation, and the little fellow in his arms, gave him a kiss and again went away. The child then seemed satisfied and cried no sale by P. R. Crien, druggiet.

Midnight.

The face of the night is clouded. For shame of the fearful day Where men betray their brothers, And right at the altar slay. Judas strides through the market, And Christ is still crucified; And peddlers cry their wares from th

Where the Son of God hath died. No wonder the streams run purple. Are red with the blood of the slain, That Cain still murders Abel. And Lazerous groans in pain!

No wonder the stars are silent, And the skies are black with dread. When we bury in earth our living And robe in velvet our dead. The daughter of Herod dances. The head of the saint is prize,

Half blinds the prophets' eyes! On the floor of the holy temple Is heard the ring of gold, And 'mid sorrow and desolation The joy of the world is told!

And the dust of the foolish fables

But the time will come when midnight Will shine with a tender light, and day shorn of its shadows. Lie down at the feet of night! -Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union

The Crinoline in Billville.

There's been a lot o' talkin' bout this thing called crinoline, But if it gits the fashion we are goin' to resign;

For Billville's dead agin' it, an' you jes' kin put it down, That the first one who gits in it jes' terrify the town.

With them there hoopskirts reachin' out to doomsday—more or less, 'Twould take a bolt o' calico to make a woman's dress: An' if the worst comes to the worst, our

only livin' show Will be the dry goods business, while we let the paper go! -Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution.

Pinrod.

He was a little old dried up man,

woman at all hazzards. This senti- platform. ment seemed to strike a tender cord in sation to me from that time on. I pre- Sherman law. On the contrary, they tended to sympathize with him in his will resist its repeal unless they can distress, questioned him about the man replace it with something better. Riley and his deserting wife. "He Why? For two important reasons. stole my wife," said he, "in broad day- First, because the unconditional repeal light and right in the city of Mt. Car- of the Sherman law would be a viola-

ed to weigh the men and give the woman to the man who weighed the most. ily consented to this plan of adjusting matters and stepped on a pair of wagon suggested the idea to the boys. His weight was soon declared and he stepped off, smiling with confidence, and then Pinrod, nothing daunted, took his boys, who sympathized with him, cautiously stepped on with him and made the act of 1873. the beam tip at two hundred and fifty pounds. Pinrod is the heaviest was At the town election once the candi-

When questioned upon the subject the statute book, and all good Demo-he said, "I like the people of Gray-ville; they gave my wife back to me ville; they gave my wife back to me

The writer was once passing his house when Pinrod came out and started away: A little child came to the

more. After that I felt a respect for Pinrod that I had never before known. Although he was poor and ignorant, the butt of many a vulgar joke and the universal object of ridicule, this little child could not bear to part with him without a kiss. It seemed to me that that little child had found in him what every one else had missed and was blind to what every one else had seen. It was a rebuke to me; I, who had thought of him only as an object of ridicule, now saw him as a living fath-F. P. H.

How They Will Vote.

We understand, from certain comments and inquiries in some of our northern exchanges, that there is considerable interest felt in that quarter as to the attitude of the southern Democratic members of congress on the repeal of the Sherman law. We see hints, too, in the Republican organs that a great pressure is to be brought

to bear to repeal the Sherman law. From our point of view, which purely Democratic, such inquiries and such talk is silly in the extreme. We can answer for the Georgia Congressmen, and, we think for an overwhelming majority of the southern delegation, that they are not only ready, but anxious, to vote for the repeal of the Sherman law the moment a measure is and intentions of the Democratic platform. That is the attitude of the not be found occupying any other during their term of service.

The silver question is up for consideration the moment the Sherman law is discussed, and any measure which with small, weak eyes and dressed very cater to the views of the gold monopo- bred adventurer, whom she honored put his hand to the plough, will not shabily. He stopped where we were lists, to inquire as to the attitude of with the title of husband, still lives to turn back. He is opposed to the Antiat work on the track at a little station southern Democrats. The common reflect his shame upon her, pursue her Option bill, and his remarks about it on the C. & V. R. R., called Cowling. sense of the eastern Democrats ought with yexations suits and make her a are refreshing: He seemed to be in distress and at once to tell them that southern Democrats social recluse. attracted our attention by asking if we are opposed to the Sherman law as an had seen a man and woman pass that inadequate and utterly unfruitful silver way. He informed us that a man, Riley measure, and that they will vote eager- presumed distinction are not at all exby name, had stolen his wife at Mt. ly for its repeal, provided that, in do-Carmel, that the pair had taken all he ing so, they can put in operation a better law-a law that gives a com-One man advised him to let the wom- pleter recognition of silver as a money an go, but to recapture his possessions. metal—a law that is in accord with the an go, but to recapture his possessions. metal—a law that is in accord with the I that erupts itself before the world, and raising his crops. He needs saving yet many more are more fortunate only from commercial fallacies.

But the Georgia congressmen will not tion of the pledges of the Democratic American women of fortune sell them-After detailing all the circumstances piatform; second, because it would re- selves with their fortunes for foreign connected with the case he left us. He store the operations of the act of de- titles, had its inspiration among the overtook the fleeing couple at Grayville. monetization passed in 1873. The He found them seated on a bench lean-pledge that the Democratic platform ing up against the side of the building. makes to the people is that there shall the freak's of fortune. They were the He at once demanded that his wife re- be no discrimination against silver, easy prey of dubious titles and measly turn to him, but Riley objected. A and the unconditional repeal of the nobles; but they have had many imitacrowd of men and boys were soon at- Sherman law would be the worst kind tracted to the spot, and when they un- of discrimination, and the result of it Anglomaniacs now almost rule in our might produce as serious a financial so-called best society. Our dudes imi-

silver was demonetized. The Sherman law, inadequate as it is, recognizes silver both as money and as a basis for circulation. It provides not young women are taught that their scales that stood near, which, perhaps, only that notes shall shall be issued against the bullion purchased, but that habits and methods of life which are the bullion itself shall be coined for the the fountains of health and happiness. redemption of the notes so issued. This is a small measure of recognition, position on the scales and several small it is true, but it is something. It is better than the utter demonstization of and Miss Grant to make homes among

to secure the unconditional repeal of fortunate, they would need no admonithe unanimous verdict of the crowd the Sherman law may as well restrain tion to protect them against such suiand he must have the woman, and, themselves. The pledges of the Demstrange to relate, the couple marched ocratic platform must be carried out. his business and the writer never heard ed. When the pinch comes, not one home sanctuary and honored by all, of him again. Not so with Pinrod, he Georgia Democratic congressman and afid those who flutter around foreign rented a house in Grayville and he not a half-dozen southern Democratic pretenders are like the moth that never left that place as long as he lived. congressmen will be found voting with rushes into the flame, and are usually He was always an object of ridicule the money power to restore the opera- fortunate if to hopeless sorrow is not and the butt of many a practical joke. tions of the demonetization act of 1878.

Let those who appear to be so anxious Times. dates were very unpopular and their for the repeal of the Sherman law go names were scratched off and the name about it in good faith. Let them bring of Pinrod written in the place, and, forward a substitute measure framed so whether from accident or design, this as to put in practical operation the happened in so many cases that Pinrod pledges of the Democratic platform. came within a few votes of being When this is done, the Sherman law will be unceremoniously wiped from

Mothers' Recommendation

We are acquainted with many mothers in Centreville who would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy door and began to cry, "papa! papa!" in the house for a good many times its Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Lessons for American Women.

The daily newspapers recently preented two impressive object lessons to American women. The announcement of the death of Algernon Sartoris, bet ter known as the husband of Nellie Grant, daughter of the late President recalled the sickening story of a heart broken wife and mother, who receives without shock or sorrow the news of the death of her brutal husband; and the court reports told the equally sickening story of the blighted life of Miss VonSchaumberg, once the courted queen of Philadelphia's most refined

social circles. Mrs. Sartoris is now the more fortunate of the two, as death relieves her of a husband whom she has not known or even seen for years; while Mrs brought forward that will fit the terms Hughes-Hallett has only the relief of defeating her English husband in an attempt to rob her of her property af-Georgia congressmen, and they will ter robbing her of happiness. Sartoris died in a strange land, whither he had wandered in gratifying his love of beastly adventure; and the lovely young bride he received in the White House twenty years ago is now the quiet Lonprovides for the repeal of that law is don mother devoting her life to the in the nature of legislation on silver. care and education of her three chil-This being so, it is idle for eastern dren. Mrs. Hughes-Hallett is saved a

in accepting foreign husbands. Most er thinks he knows more of such marriages result in mutual grief that erupts itself before the world, and in hiding scandal and sorrow from the public. There are exceptions to the It is declared that the farmers are the rule, of course, as there are exceptions his breast, and he directed his conver- vote for the unconditional repeal of the rule, of course, as there are exceptions eigners who marry on equal social or financial footing, just as they would marry among their own people.

The infatuation that has made many American girls who suddenly rose from the wash-tuh to American palaces: by tors in the more refined circles and convulsion as the act of 1873, by which tate the affectations of English royalty and nobility from their swagger in attempting to walk to their contortions when they attempt to sneeze; and our first duty is to depart from the simpler Could they see the inner life of ninetenths of the American women who have gone with Miss Von Schaumber strangers, where the American woman Those who are engaged in the effort is rarely appreciated even when most cides. Here every intelligent and true American woman is a Queen among to have lost its grip. added to public shame, -Philadelphia

He is Straight.

braska has never been lucky in getting his deeds. Though strictly Ren office. This is true of his various in principles, it is never so nes true now of his getting the job to pre- events. Once a reader, always are of futilities known as the Department son sending us three dollars for the of Agriculture. This appointment yearly subscriptions to the We breaks it traditions, if an upstart can will receive one copy free for a be said to have traditions. He has "as med it" off and on for a generation, and knows a silo from a bag of shorts

Day, and we should think he would prefer to sit under his own arbor and see his trees grow to being responsible for weather guesses and counting

oumpkin seeds. But since he is pleased with his job. let us say this of him: Sterling Morton has stood up as straight as a trivet for his ideas of Democracy. He has never ioined in with the Grangers or Populists of the Bug-Ester State, for printing-press money, Sub-Treasuries, or other idocy. He has stuck to straight Democracy in Nebraska, and sometim has got a considerable degree of colitude thereby. He whacked away at protection before some of the young gentlemen who are now proje above the horizon had put away long

stockings and assumed the manly trous ers. He is a free trader such as Prof. William Graham Summer or Prof. Arthur Latham Perry rejoices in exceedingly, and the latter has inscribed a book to him. He hates pretection worse than he hates foot and mouth disease or a fellow that outs down a tree unnecessarily. He stands squarely on the Democratic platform. "I believe," he said on Saturday, "that the Government has no sight to tax except to obtain a revenue for its support."

That is the talk! Mr. Morton drives Democrats, who find it profitable to remnant of her fortune, but her high- a straight economic furrow, and having

"I am not a protectionist, but believe These marriages of Miss VonSchaum-ber and Miss Grant to foreigners of He needs it most from his alle Some of his ideas need ob ceptional object lessons of the madness of a certain kind of education, for is that rules with many American women has been said, you know, that the farm roads of the country than he does about "The Hatch Anti-Option bill is one.

measure. They should in to all rules; but they are almost invariate chief opposers. I think that the iably confined to Americans and forproduce exchanges and boards of trade, which the bill aims to destroy, are to the farmers' greatest advantage.

"They provide a daily market and their workings tend to keep prices up. If there were no exchange, the big millers could virtually set their prices on the farmers' products and the farmers would be obliged to accept them." That, too, is the talk. The new

Secretary of Agriculture is a capable and sensible man who believes what he believes, and doesn't truckle to anybody. He deserves a better place than

the Sham Department .- N. Y. Suu. Specimen Cases.

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